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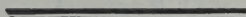
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TEMPLE, N.H.

for twelve months

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TOWN OFFICIALS

TEMPLE, N.H.

MODERATOR

Roger Nutting

TOWN CLERK

Elise Willard

TOWN TREASURER

Mervin E. Willard

SELECTMEN

Albert A. Quinn

Term Expires 1974

Wilfred C. Weston

Term Expires 1975

Alden W. Smith

Term Expires 1976

TAX COLLECTOR

Malcolm L. Holt

ROAD AGENT

Harold N. Kullgren

AUDITORS

Kenneth E. Saunders, Jr.

Julie Harling

Douglas R. Guy

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Esther S. Church

Term Expires 1974

Michael Salera (appointed April 9)

Term Expires 1975

Ellis Jensen

Term Expires 1976

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

Christina Caswell

Gerda Tyler

Wyatt Fox Sr.

CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Mervin E. Willard

Michael Salera

Albert A. Quinn

WOOD, LUMBER AND FENCE SURVEYORS

Selectmen

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Madelyn Quinn	Term Expires 1974
Barbara Hedman	Term Expires 1975
Earl Young	Term Expires 1976
Anne Lunt	Term Expires 1977
Ruth DeQuoy	Term Expires 1978
Barbara Heck	Term Expires 1979
Martha Scott	Term Expires 1980

Honorary Members

Abbie Kendall Fish

Maude Leighton

FIRE ENGINEERS

James Naglie	Term Expires 1974
C. Ernest Harling	Term Expires 1975
James W. Quinn	Term Expires 1976

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief Russell Tyler	Benton Blood
Wilson Allen	James Lorette
Edgar L. Leighton III	Clay Hollister III

PLANNING BOARD MEMBERS

Howard Bradler	Stanley Maynard, Sr.
Ralph Wheeler	Hans Chemello

George Heck appointed 4/9/73
to replace Lucille Longo

Audrey MacDonald appointed 7/23/73

Albert A. Quinn, Ex-Officio

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Clarence Daniels	2 Years
Paul Quinn	2 Years
Thomas Crabtree	1 Year
Howard Bradler	1 Year
Albert Gove	3 Years

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Roger Nutting	4 Years
Harley Fetzner	3 Years
Alden Smith	2 Years
Edgar Leighton, III	1 Year
Raymond Lee	5 Years

OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Con-Val Representative	Leo Turini
Civil Defense	Russell Tyler
Dog Officer	Wallace Blood
Census Taker	Maureen Riley
Timber Tax Duties	Wilfred Weston
Health and Sanitation Officer	Kenneth Saunders, Jr.
Art. 22 Appointments	John Harling,
	Dorothy Turini and Maureen Riley

TOWN WARRANT
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Temple in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Temple on Tuesday the fifth of March next, at twelve o'clock noon, to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1. To cast your ballots for the election of all officers required to be elected to serve the Town of Temple for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 2. To cast your ballots for the election of such officers as may be required by law to serve the Contoocook Valley School District for the ensuing year.

ARTICLE 3. To cast your ballots on the following subject: Are you in favor of the adoption of the changes, amendments and modifications of the Town of Temple Zoning Ordinance of 1972, as proposed by the Planning Board?

ARTICLE 4. To cast your ballots for the election of Delegates to the New Hampshire Constitutional Convention.

THE POLLS SHALL OPEN AT TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON AND SHALL CLOSE NOT EARLIER THAN SEVEN O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

You are further notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Temple on Friday the eighth day of March next, at eight o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 5. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town Officer's salaries, Town Officer's expense, Town Dump, Playgrounds, Common, Election and Registration, Town Hall expenses, Flag care, Cemeteries, Forest Fires, Vital Statistics, Civil Defense, Legal Expenses, Dog Damage, Social Security, and/or any other Town Charge.

ARTICLE 6. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of Summer highways and for the resurfacing of tar roads.

ARTICLE 7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of Winter highways.

ARTICLE 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a new loader for the Highway Department to replace the old Hough loader. If favorably considered, a Bond Issue to cover payment shall be voted; or take any other action relating thereto.

ARTICLE 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be applied to the Capital Reserve Fund for the purchase of a new loader for the Highway Department.

ARTICLE 10. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for the improvement of Class IV and V highways and raise and appropriate the sum of \$746.08, the State to contribute the sum of \$4,973.88.

ARTICLE 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Temple Volunteer Fire Department. Said sum to be turned over to the Treasurer of the Department.

ARTICLE 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the salaries and expenses of the Police Department.

ARTICLE 13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of modern radio communication equipment for the Police Department.

ARTICLE 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,183.68 for the support of the Mansfield Public Library. Said sum to be turned over to the Treasurer of the Library.

ARTICLE 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day, said monies to be expended under the auspices of the Temple Ex-Servicemen's Association.

ARTICLE 16. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the expenses of the Planning Board.

ARTICLE 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$221.00 for the support of the Monadnock Family and Mental Health Service, based on a 50c per capita formula.

ARTICLE 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$573.00 for the support of the Monadnock Community Visiting Nurse Association, Inc., based on a \$1.00 per capita formula.

ARTICLE 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$216.00 for the support of the Monadnock Region Association.

ARTICLE 20. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the Temple Conservation Commission. The Commission requests the sum of \$300.00.

ARTICLE 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to provide toilet facilities in the Mansfield Public Library.

ARTICLE 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the use of the Temple Tennis Committee for construction of tennis courts.

ARTICLE 23. To see what action the Town will take on the report of the "Article 22 Committee", appointed pursuant to Article 22, of the 1973 Warrant, and appearing elsewhere in these reports.

ARTICLE 24. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to appoint a Deputy Treasurer. Such Deputy shall be sworn, shall have the powers of the Treasurer, may be removed at the pleasure of the Treasurer, and shall, before entering upon his duties, give bond as provided in RSA 41:6 (RSA 41:29-a).

ARTICLE 25. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee to undertake appropriate action in preparation for observance of the 1976 Bicentennial of the United States. Such committee to consist of two appointees from each active town organization, and two members-at-large.

ARTICLE 26. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the Bicentennial Committee.

ARTICLE 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 to be expended by the Selectmen for the purchase of fireproof cabinets and files for the Town's books and public records, pursuant to RSA 41:59.

ARTICLE 28. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to receive funds from private sources to defray the cost of cutting and removing diseased trees in the area of the Village, and the Historic Preservation District in particular.

ARTICLE 29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of renovating and altering the present balcony area in the Town Hall to provide office space for the Board of Selectmen, storage space for active Town books and records, and facilities for the use of Town Officers, Selectmen's meetings, and activities of other groups requiring meeting space in connection with Town affairs.

ARTICLE 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 to repair damage to Town Roads caused by flooding, and to authorize the Selectmen to apply for and accept any Federal funds available to reimburse the Town for repair of such damage.

ARTICLE 31. To see if the Town will vote to continue its membership in the Southwestern New Hampshire Regional Planning Commission. Such membership being within the context of Article 23, of the 1973 Town Warrant.

ARTICLE 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$389.64 as the Town's share for the studies and operation of the Southwestern New Hampshire Regional Planning Commission.

ARTICLE 33. To see if the Town will vote to join with New Ipswich, Greenville and Mason to use a particular solid waste disposal facility, with each community paying its pro-rata share of the costs of establishing such a facility and the operating costs thereof, as permitted under RSA 53:A. Note: An affirmative vote means that any or all communities voting to use a particular disposal site would be permitted to do so if approved by vote of the host community. Should the host community fail to vote to allow such use of its disposal site, then an alternative site may be selected for use by the Town, subject to additional action by the communities involved.

ARTICLE 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money as its share of the operating and/or planning costs of a disposal site for the ensuing year. Or to take any other action relating thereto.

ARTICLE 35. To see if the Town will vote to close, subject to gates and bars, that road which starts at Howard Hill Road near the "Bennotti" woodshed and proceeds in an easterly direction terminating at the old Kendall cellar hole; being a distance of three quarters mile, more or less.

ARTICLE 36. To see if the Town will vote to close, subject to gates and bars, a portion of Kendall Road, commencing at a point just north of the Stanford Calderwood residence and proceeding in a northerly direction for a distance of one half mile, more or less; terminating at Route 101 near the residence of Howard Lappe.

ARTICLE 37. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue a portion of the Old Revolutionary or Old County Road, relinquishing to the abutters any rights which may have accrued to the Town. The road, or right of way, to be abandoned has a junction with the present town road at a point approximately one quarter mile west of the Thomas Drew residence, proceeds in a westerly direction for a distance of one half mile, more or less; terminating at Route 101 just east of the Temple-Peterborough line.

ARTICLE 38. To see if the Town will vote to direct and empower the Selectmen to take any and all necessary action to insure that the Town maintains direction and control of all Town Roads closed subject to gates and bars.

ARTICLE 39. To see if the Town will vote authorized withdrawal from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972 for use as set-offs against budget appropriations in the amounts indicated; and further, to authorize the Selectmen to make pro-rata adjustments in the amounts, if estimated entitlements are increased or reduced, or take any other action hereon:

APPROPRIATION	AMOUNT
Police	2,500.00
Fire	2,500.00
Library	500.00
Dump	1,000.00
	<hr/> \$6,500.00

ARTICLE 40. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes, pursuant to and under the limitations of Chapter 33:7-8 N.H. RSA.

ARTICLE 41. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Four.

Albert A. Quinn
Wilfred C. Weston
Alden W. Smith

Selectmen

A true copy of Warrant -- Attest:

Albert A. Quinn
Wilfred C. Weston
Alden W. Smith

Selectmen

**BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF
TEMPLE, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Sources of Revenue	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Fiscal Year 1974
FROM STATE:			
Interest & Dividends Tax	8,500.00	13,452.00	13,500.00
Savings Bank Tax	650.00	639.80	600.00
Meals & Rooms Tax	2,000.00	2,908.64	2,500.00
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV & V)	9,000.00	9,369.32	9,300.00
Reimbursement Forest Conservation Aid	600.00	3.64	4.00
Wood & Timber		671.25	650.00
Reim. A/C Business Profits Tax (Town Portion)	2,000.00	2,696.39	2,600.00
Old Age Assistance		5,234.42	
National Forest Reserve		2.02	2.00
FROM LOCAL SOURCES:			
Dog Licenses	300.00	391.50	400.00
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees	50.00	92.00	100.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	7,500.00	8,908.41	8,500.00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits		298.12	500.00
Income from Trust Funds	500.00	870.63	750.00
Fines & Forfeits		96.59	
Resident Taxes Retained	1,500.00	2,790.00	2,900.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed		70.17	50.00
Income from Departments		99.80	
SURPLUS	679.03	4,126.04	4,126.00
FROM FEDERAL SOURCES:			
Revenue Sharing	7,200.00	6,554.00	4,000.00
*TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES			50,482.00
*AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES			21,687.76
TOTAL REVENUES			72,169.76

**BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF
TEMPLE, NEW HAMPSHIRE**

Purpose of Appropriation	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Actual	Appropriations
		Expenditures Previous Fiscal Year	Ensuing Fiscal Year 1974
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
Town Officers' Salaries	2,900.00	2,801.49	2,700.00
Town Officers' Expenses	2,100.00	3,455.04	3,000.00
Election & Registration Expenses	250.00	473.15	1,100.00
Town Hall & Other Buildings	1,000.00	3,106.56	4,300.00
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	1,000.00	1,044.26	1,200.00
Nelson's Answering Service			800.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:			
Police Department	3,500.00	4,603.65	6,000.00
Fire Department	2,650.00	2,640.74	3,290.00
Planning & Zoning (Including Conservation Comm.)	800.00	439.24	800.00
Damages & Legal Expense	400.00	183.00	650.00
HEALTH DEPT. (Incl. Hospitals & Ambulance)			
	1,166.00	1,141.00	2,044.00
Vital Statistics	25.00	36.50	40.00
Town Dump & Garbage Removal	1,000.00	545.35	1,000.00
HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES:			
Town Maintenance-Summer & Winter	33,000.00	38,334.66	34,000.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.		636.22	
Town Road Aid	755.26	747.46	746.08
LIBRARIES:	1,943.68	1,943.68	2,183.68
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Town Poor		385.00	400.00
Old Age Assistance	500.00	817.00	1,000.00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES			
(Memorial Day, etc.)	400.00	400.00	400.00
RECREATION:	500.00	500.96	800.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:			
Cemeteries	200.00	848.51	1,000.00
Advertising & Regional Associations	205.00	205.00	216.00
DEBT SERVICE:			
Principal & Long Term Notes & Bonds	2,945.00	2,945.00	2,300.00
Interest — Long Term Notes & Bonds	300.00	211.67	1,500.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,750.00	1,497.23	1,500.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY:			
Lands & Buildings	1,000.00	52.50	
Repairs to Town Hall Cupola	2,000.00	2,000.00	
CONVAL Pupil Count Error	11,369.47	11,369.47	
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	73,659.41		72,169.76

FINANCIAL REPORT

TOWN OF TEMPLE, N.H.

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1973

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer	73,853.53	
Total		73,853.53
Bonds or Long Term Notes		
Authorized – Unissued		15,414.06
Capital Reserve Funds:		
For New Fire Truck	4,449.94	
Total		19,864.00
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1973	5,200.98	
Levy of 1972	1,576.00	
Levy of 1971	370.86	
Total		7,147.84
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1973, Including		
Resident Taxes	888.01	
Levy of 1972	25.68	
Total		913.69
Total Assets		101,779.06
GRAND TOTAL		101,779.06
Current Surplus, Dec. 31, 1972	679.03	
Current Surplus, Dec. 31, 1973	4,126.04	
Increase of Surplus	3,447.01	

LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Unexpended Balances of		
Special Appropriations	947.50	
Unexpended Balances of Bond &		
Note Funds	15,414.06	
Unexpended Revenue Sharing		
Funds	3,108.82	
Unexpended State Highway		
Subsidy Funds	150.79	
Due to State:		
2% Bond & Debt Retirement		
Taxes	29.36	
School District Tax Payable	<u>72,594.32</u>	
Other Liabilities:		
Duncan Fund	<u>958.23</u>	
Total Accounts Owed by the Town		<u>93,203.08</u>
Capital Reserve Funds:		4,449.94
Total Liabilities		<u>97,653.02</u>
Current Surplus		<u>4,126.04</u>
GRAND TOTAL		101,779.06

Uniform Classification

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes:

1.	Property Taxes 1973	174,193.99
2.	Resident Taxes 1973	2,500.00
4.	Yield Taxes 1973	<u>70.17</u>
5.	Total Current Year's Taxes Collected and Remitted	176,764.16
7.	Resident Taxes Previous Years	290.00
9.	Interest Received on Delinquent Taxes	247.12
10.	Penalties: Resident Taxes	51.00
11.	Tax Sales redeemed	2,119.32

From State:

12.	For Highways and Bridges: For Class V Highway maint. Highway Subsidy	5,172.94 9,369.32
13.	Interest and Dividends Tax	13,452.00
15.	Savings Bank Tax	639.80
16.	Reimbursement a-c State and Federal forest lands	3.64
18.	Reimbursement a-c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	671.25
19.	National forest reserve	2.02
22.	Reimbursements a-c Old Age Assistance	5,234.42
23.	Meals and Rooms Tax	2,908.64
24.	Reimbursements a-c Business Profits Tax	2,696.39

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

26.	Dog Licenses	391.50
27.	Business Licenses, permits and filing fees	92.00
28.	Fines and forfeits, municipal & District Court	96.59
31.	Income from trust funds	870.63
32.	Income from departments	99.80
35.	Motor vehicle permits (1972 - \$170.41) (1973 - \$8,607.38) (1974 - \$130.62)	8,908.41

Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

36.	Proceeds of Tax Anticipation Notes	75,000.00
39.	Insurance adjustments	119.80
40.	Refunds	932.97
50.	Grants from U.S.A. Revenue Sharing	6,554.00
	Interest on Investments of Revenue Sharing Funds	<u>327.82</u>

Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue	<u>82,934.59</u>
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Total Receipts From All Sources	<u>313,015.54</u>
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Cash on Hand January 1, 1973	<u>74,667.09</u>
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GRAND TOTAL	387,682.63
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PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:			9,836.24
1.	Town officers' salaries	2,801.49	
2.	Town officers' expenses	3,455.04	
3.	Election and registration expenses	473.15	
5.	Expenses town hall and other town buildings	<u>3,106.56</u>	
Protection of Persons and Property:			7,733.63
7.	Police department	4,603.65	
9.	Fire department, including forest fires	2,640.74	
11.	Planning and Zoning	439.24	
12.	Damage by dogs	<u>50.00</u>	
Health:			1,722.85
16.	Health dept., including hospitals & ambulance	1,141.00	
17.	Vital statistics	36.50	
19.	Town dumps and garbage removal	<u>545.35</u>	
Highways and Bridges:			39,718.34
20.	Town road aid	747.46	
21.	Town maintenance (Summer \$24,302.93) (Winter \$14,031.73)	38,334.66	
23.	General Expenses of Highway Dept.	<u>636.22</u>	
Libraries:			1,943.68
24.	Libraries	<u>1,943.68</u>	
Public Welfare:			1,202.00
25.	Old Age Assistance	817.00	
26.	Town poor	<u>385.00</u>	
Patriotic Purposes:			400.00
28.	Memorial Day, Veteran's Assoc., Old Home Day	<u>400.00</u>	
Recreation:			500.96
29.	Parks & Playgrounds, including band concerts	<u>500.96</u>	

Public Service Enterprises:		848.51
31. Cemeteries, including hearse hire	848.51	
Unclassified:		9,625.20
33. Damages and legal expenses	133.00	
34. Advertising and Regional Associations	205.00	
35. Taxes bought by town	5,242.26	
36. Discounts, abatements and refunds	1,413.07	
37. Employees' Retirement and Social Security	2,631.87	
Total Current Maintenance Expenses		<u>73,531.41</u>
Debt Service:		
40. Paid on tax anticipation notes	1,497.23	
41. Paid on long term notes	211.67	
Total Interest Payments		<u>1,708.90</u>
Principal of Debt:		
43. Payments on Tax Anticipation Notes	75,000.00	
44. Payments on long term notes	2,945.00	
Total Principal Payments		<u>77,945.00</u>
Capital Outlay:		
52. Lands & Buildings	52.50	
Total Outlay Payments		<u>52.50</u>
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
57. Resident Taxes Paid State Treasurer — 1973	1,292.46	
59. Taxes Paid to County	11,494.35	
61. Payments to School Districts (1972 Tax \$84,199.34) (1973 Tax \$63,605.14)	147,804.48	
Total Payments To Other Governmental Divisions		<u>160,591.29</u>
Total Payments for all Purposes		<u>313,829.10</u>
Cash on Hand December 31, 1973		<u>73,853.53</u>
GRAND TOTAL		<u>387,682.63</u>

SCHEDULE OF LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

As of December 31, 1973

1.	Long Term Notes Outstanding:	
	Grader Notes	13,850.00
	1974	2,300.00
2.	Total Long Term Notes Outstanding	2,300.00

RECONCILIATION OF OUTSTANDING LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS

1.	Outstanding Long Term Debt – December 31, 1973; June 30, 1973	5,245.00
5.	Debt Retirement During Fiscal Year: Long Term Notes Paid	2,945.00
7.	Outstanding Long Term Debt – December 31, 1973; June 30, 1974	2,300.00

TOWN CHARGES

	Appropriations 1973	Expenditures 1973	-Overdraft or +Balance	Estimated Expenditures 1974
Town Officers Salaries	2,900.00	2,801.49	+ 98.51	2,700.00 (1)
Town Officers Expenses	2,100.00	3,455.04	- 1,355.04	3,000.00 (2)
Election & Registration	250.00	473.15	- 223.15	1,100.00 (3)
Town Hall Expenses	1,000.00	3,106.56	- 2,106.56	4,300.00 (4)
Social Security	1,000.00	1,044.26	- 44.26	1,200.00
Answering Service	550.00	550.00	0	800.00 (5)
Town Dump	1,000.00	545.35	+ 454.65	1,000.00
Legal Expense	400.00	133.00	+ 267.00	600.00 (6)
Dog Damage	100.00	50.00	+ 50.00	50.00
Long Term Notes	2,945.00	2,945.00	0	2,300.00
Interest	2,050.00	1,708.90	+ 341.10	3,000.00
Vital Statistics	25.00	36.50	- 11.50	40.00
Forest Fires	150.00	100.00	+ 50.00	150.00
Common and Playground	500.00	500.96	- .96	800.00 (7)
Cemeteries	200.00	848.51	- 648.51	1,000.00
Ambulance Service	525.00	500.00	+ 25.00	1,250.00 (8)
Old Age Assistance	500.00	817.00	- 317.00	1,000.00 (9)
TOTAL				\$24,290.00
Less: Gift				1,300.00
Balance				\$22,990.00

NOTES:

(1) Selectmen \$500.00; Town Clerk \$250.00; Town Treasurer \$300.00; Tax Collector \$250.00; Auditors \$50.00; Dog Officer \$100.00; Fire Warden \$100.00.

(2) Includes \$200.00 for Dog Officer's Expenses.

(3) Includes cost of new voting booths.

(4) Includes refinishing floor, reshingling South side of roof and authorizes expenditure of gift of \$1,300.00 for cupola.

(5) Formerly included in Police and Fire Dept. accounts. Also used by Ambulance Service.

(6) Includes legal bill of \$235.00 for East Road Controversy.

(7) Includes \$100.00 for Town Clean-Up Day.

(8) Was a Warrant Item last year.

(9) Was a Warrant Item last year.

APPROPRIATIONS
MADE AT
TEMPLE TOWN MEETING
March 6/16, 1973

Town Charges	\$22,620.00
Summer Highways	18,000.00
Winter Highways	15,000.00
Improvement of Class IV & V Highways	755.26
Temple Volunteer Fire Department	2,500.00
Towards Purchase of New Fire Truck	4,225.54*
Temple Police Department	3,500.00
Mansfield Public Library	1,943.68
Memorial Day Observance	400.00
Planning Board Expense	500.00
Monadnock Family Mental Health	
Service	176.00
Old Age Assistance	500.00
Monadnock Community Visiting	
Nurse Association	465.00
Monadnock Regional Association	205.00
Conservation Commission Expense	300.00
Souhegan Valley Ambulance Service	525.00
Recreation Commission:	
For Construction of Tennis Courts	1,000.00
Town Hall Paint and Repair	
Expense (3/16/73)	2,000.00
TOTAL	\$74,615.48

A True Copy of record of all monies appropriated at the Annual Town Meeting of Temple, March 6, 1973 and March 16, 1973.

Elise Willard
Town Clerk

*From Capital Reserve Fund

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$30,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	1,000.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	18,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,000.00
Police Department, Equipment	500.00
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	7,200.00
Equipment	10,000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	7,200.00
Equipment	10,000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	2,200.00
Water Supply Facilities, if owned by Town	1,000.00
All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds	<u>2,200.00</u>
TOTAL	\$91,300.00

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

January 1, 1973 to December 31, 1973

AUTOMOBILE ACCOUNT

1972-27 Motor Vehicle Permits issued 1-1-73 to 3-6-73	\$ 170.41
1973-618 Motor Vehicle Permits issued 1-1-73 to 12-31-73	8,607.38
1974-9 Motor Vehicle Permits issued 3-6-73 to 12-31-73	130.62
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	\$8,908.41

FILING FEES

Filing Fees — March 5, 1973	\$ 10.00
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DOG ACCOUNT

121 Male and Spayed Females @ \$2.00	\$ 242.00
23 Females @ \$5.00	115.00
1 Kennel License	20.00
1 Male ½ Year	1.00
1 Duplicate (not used)	.50
16 Fines @ \$1.00	16.00
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	\$ 394.50
Less; Cash on Hand	-(3.00)
Total Amount to Treasurer	<hr/>
	\$9,309.91

Respectfully submitted,
Elise Willard
Town Clerk

SUMMARY OF WARRANTS

PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES

LEVY OF 1972

— DR. —

Uncollected Taxes - As of January 1, 1972:

Property Taxes	26.00	
Resident Taxes	350.00	
Yield Taxes	<u>25.68</u>	
		\$401.68

Penalties Collected on

Resident Taxes	<u>29.00</u>	
TOTAL DEBITS		\$430.68

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year
Ended December 31, 1973:

Resident Taxes	290.00	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	<u>29.00</u>	
		\$319.00

Abateements Made During Year:

Property Taxes	26.00	
Resident Taxes	<u>60.00</u>	
		\$ 86.00

Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1973:

Yield Tax (Ira Flagg)	<u>\$ 25.68</u>	
TOTAL CREDITS		\$430.68

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

DECEMBER 31, 1973

	Levies of 1973	1972
Beland, Arthur L. Jr. & Mareta	656.90	599.68
Benotti, Richard	425.02	90.92
Engel, Virginia	204.23	
Leighton, Est of E.L. Sr.	946.65	
Lorette, James	164.65	
Miller, Joseph W. & Yvonne	267.43	
Pearson, Ruth M.	474.80	428.85
Phillis, Est. of Albert	153.16	
Quinn, E. Jack & Beverly A.	396.30	304.71
Rathbun, Charles	702.62	
Rockwood, Norman	91.29	
Gauvin, Joseph	574.34	151.84
Roberts, Clayton	143.59	
	<hr/> \$5,200.98	<hr/> \$1,576.00

**SUMMARY OF WARRANTS
PROPERTY, RESIDENT AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1973**

— DR. —

Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	\$174,725.31	
Resident Taxes	<u>3,000.00</u>	
Total Warrants		\$177,725.31
Yield Taxes		176.18
Added Taxes:		
Resident Taxes		20.00
Interest Collected on Delinquent		
Property Taxes		105.21
Penalties Collected on		
Resident Taxes		<u>22.00</u>
TOTAL DEBITS		\$178,048.70

— CR. —

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	\$174,193.99	
Resident Taxes	2,500.00	
Yield Taxes	70.17	
Interest Collected	105.21	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	<u>22.00</u>	
		\$176,891.37
Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes	189.32	
Resident Taxes	<u>80.00</u>	
		269.32
Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1973:		
(As per Collector's List)		
Property Taxes	342.00	
Resident Taxes	440.00	
Yield Taxes	<u>106.01</u>	
		888.01
TOTAL CREDITS		\$178,048.70

Malcolm L. Holt
Tax Collector

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1973

— DR. —

Tax Sale on Account of Levies of:

	<u>1973</u>	<u>1972</u>	<u>1971</u>
Balance of Unredeemed			
Taxes of January 1, 1973		\$3,770.73	\$797.93
Taxes Sold to Town During			
Current Fiscal Year	\$5,162.07		
Interest Collected			
After Sale	38.91	82.53	59.38
Total Debits	\$5,200.98	\$3,853.26	\$857.31

— CR. —

During Year:			
Redemptions		\$1,692.25	427.07
Interest & Costs After Sale		82.53	59.38
Abatements During Year		182.55	
Cash on Hand		319.93	
Unredeemed Taxes			
Dec. 31, 1973	5,200.98	1,576.00	370.86
Total Credits	\$5,200.98	\$3,853.26	\$857.31

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES

DECEMBER 31, 1973

	Levies of		
	<u>1973</u>	<u>1972</u>	<u>1971</u>
Beland, Arthur Jr. & Mareta	\$ 656.90	\$ 599.68	\$370.86
Benotti, Richard	425.02	90.92	
Engel, Virginia	204.23		
Leighton, Est. of E.L. Sr.	946.65		
Lorette, James	164.65		
Miller, Joseph & Yvonne	267.43		
Pearson, Ruth M.	474.80	428.85	
Phillis, Est. of Albert	153.16		
Quinn. E. Jack & Beverly A.	396.30	304.71	
Rathbun, Charles	702.62		
Gauvin, Joseph	574.34	151.84	
Rockwood, Norman	91.29		
Roberts, Clayton	143.59		
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	\$5,200.98	\$1,576.00	\$370.86

Malcolm L. Holt,
Tax Collector

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES

1973

Basha, Ronald F.	10.00	Miller, Joseph W.	10.00
Blood, Ralph	10.00	Miller, Yvonne L.	10.00
Champagne, Judith	10.00	Mucci, Bernard M.	10.00
Champagne, Nancy	10.00	Mucci, Grace	10.00
Ellis, George C. Jr.	10.00	Nason, Donald	10.00
Ellis, Nancy L.	10.00	Nason, Jeanne	10.00
Ellis, Margaret	10.00	Pearson, Jerry L.	10.00
Engle, Virginia M.	10.00	Pearson, Ruth M.	10.00
Fox, Bruce	10.00	Phillis, Ruth G.	10.00
Guay, Maurice	10.00	Quinn, E. Jack	10.00
Guay, Helen	10.00	Quinn, Beverly A.	10.00
Guay, Maurice, Jr.	10.00	Quinn, Paul C.	10.00
Keuper, Richard V.	10.00	Quinn, Donna M.	10.00
Keuper, Joanne A.	10.00	Rathbun, Charles	10.00
Knowlton, David G.	10.00	Rathbun, Eleanor	10.00
Knowlton, Roxanne	10.00	Reed, Beverly	10.00
Lajoie, James H.	10.00	Rockwood, Norman F.	10.00
Lajoie, Joan	10.00	SanSoucie, Edmund U.	10.00
Longo, Frank A.	10.00	SanSoucie	10.00
Longo, Lucile M.	10.00	Scott, Mark C.	10.00
Lorette, James J.	10.00	Washburn, Timothy	10.00
Lorette, Dorothy M.	10.00	Washburn, "A".	10.00
TOTAL			<u>\$440.00</u>

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

Balance Brought Forward	\$ 72,140.09
Receipts for 1973	<u>312,433.73</u>
	384,573.81
Expenditures	<u>313,829.10</u>
Balance on Hand	70,744.71

RECEIPTS

First National Bank of Peterborough (2 notes 1@35,000.00-1@40,000.00)	75,000.00
Taxes	179,471.60
Property	174,193.99
Resident	2,790.00
Penalties	51.00
Interest	105.21
Redemption	2,261.23
Yield	<u>70.17</u>
State of New Hampshire	40,150.42
Highway Subsidy	9,369.32
Business Profits Tax	2,696.39
Yield Tax Reimbursement	671.25
Duncan Fund-Class V Highway	5,172.94
Interest and Dividends	13,452.00
Savings Bank Tax	639.80
Room and Meals Tax	2,908.64
Old Age Recovery	5,234.42
Loss of Taxes due Federal Land	2.02
1973 Reimbursement of State and Federal Land	<u>3.64</u>
Funds	870.63
Cemetery Lots	546.25
Common	130.00
Hayward-Davidson	40.00
Harriet Buswell	<u>154.38</u>
Cars	8,908.41
Dogs	391.50
Filing Fees	10.00

Permits		82.00
Building	50.00	
Pistol	30.00	
Explosive	<u>2.00</u>	
Day, Quinn Blood Ex-Servicemen's Association		\$ 542.49
Refund 1972	383.34	
Refund 1973	<u>159.15</u>	
Temple Volunteer Fire Dept.		
Refund Appropriation 1972		390.48
John Aarkkonen		
Dog Damage (Stone's Sheep)		50.00
Donations for Common Improvement		
Rev. James L. Haddix		5.00
H.D. Cheever Agency, Inc.		
Premium Refund and Dividend		119.80
Rodney McCarthy		
Fire expense at Fiske property		46.59
Joseph Sawtell		
Cemetery Trustees (Grave sown)		10.00
Mrs. Semans		
Annual care Stark cemetery lot		5.00
Stanley P. Maynard		
Share cost of new culvert		
Tuttle Road		54.80
M.E. Willard		
Share cost of oiling road		
near store		25.00
Revenue Sharing Fund		
Withdrawn from Peterborough Savings Bank		<u>6,300.00</u>
		\$384,573.81

Mervin E. Willard

Treasurer

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING

SPECIAL ACCOUNT

Peterborough Savings Account		
1/18/73	Balance	\$2,527.00
1/18/73	Interest	4.48
		<hr/> 2,531.48
1/18/73 Federal Revenue Sharing		2,425.00
		<hr/> 4,956.48
4/12/73	Interest	57.51
		<hr/> 5,013.99
4/12/73 Federal Revenue Sharing		1,490.00
		<hr/> 6,503.99
7/16/73	Interest	80.60
		<hr/> 6,584.59
7/16/73 Federal Revenue Sharing		1,491.00
		<hr/> 8,075.59
10/16/73 Federal Revenue Sharing		1,148.00
10/16/73	Interest	104.93
		<hr/> 9,328.52
12/26/73	Interest	80.30
		<hr/> 9,408.82
12/26/73	Withdrawn	6,300.00
Balance December 31, 1973		<hr/> \$3,108.82

Mervin E. Willard

Treasurer

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Wages and Salaries		
Russell Tyler Jr., Chief	550.00	
Wilson Allen	1,032.75	
Benton Blood	260.00	
Clay Hollister	202.75	
Edgar L. Leighton, III	96.00	
James Lorette	442.50	
Russell Tyler, III	42.00	
TOTAL		2,626.00
Equipment and Repairs		
Lights	82.50	
Radio Repairs	227.50	
Answering Service (½)	275.00	
Willard's I.G.A. Supplies	10.82	
TOTAL		595.82
Mileage		1,381.83
GRAND TOTAL		\$4,603.65

TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

Dues	18.00	
Supplies	730.69	
Postage	140.00	
Clerical	139.50	
Printing	966.81	
General Expenses	150.99	
Tax School, Meetings	150.79	
Officers Bonds	171.00	
Road Research	50.00	
TOTAL		\$2,517.78

Payments to Con-Val School District

Balance of 1972-1973 (Jan.-June)	
(Inc. 11,369.47 pupil count error)	\$ 84,199.34
Paid 1973-1974 (July-Dec.)	63,605.14
TOTAL PAID 1973	\$147,804.48
Balance of 1973-1974 (Jan.-June)	\$ 72,594.12

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Esther S. Church, 1972	90.00	
Roger N. Nutting, Moderator	40.00	
Raymond Willard, Ballot Clerk	25.00	
Joseph Silver, Ballot Clerk	25.00	
Phylis Mazza, Ballot Clerk	25.00	
Edwin Fisk, Ballot Clerk	25.00	
Sim's Press, Printing Ballots	35.00	
Setting up Booths	16.00	
Christina Caswell, Wages & Exp.	88.67	
Wyatt R. Fox, Wages & Exp.	70.98	
Gerda Tyler, Wages & Exp.	<u>72.50</u>	
TOTAL		513.15

TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

Town Clerk		
Elise Willard	235.37	
Auditors		
Julie Harling	37.66	
Douglas Guy	37.66	
Kenneth Saunders, Jr.	37.66	
Selectmen		
Albert A. Quinn, Chrm.	470.74	
Wilfred C. Weston (Incl. part of '72)	576.25	
Alden Smith	500.00	
Tax Collector		
Malcolm L. Holt	285.61	
Dog Officer		
Wallace Blood (Incl. Expenses)	213.00	
Treasurer		
Mervin E. Willard	300.00	
Social Security	<u>67.24</u>	
TOTAL		\$ 2,761.19

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

SUMMER APPROPRIATION

Summer Maintenance	\$9,000.00
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Detailed Payment

Harold N. Kullgren, labor	\$2,728.03
Truck	415.50
Pickup Truck	328.00
Power Saw	14.00
Mileage	27.40
Tractor	16.00
Tractor Mowing	275.00
Eugene Clement, labor	2,508.71
Pickup	40.00
Power Saw	26.25
William Benotti, truck	177.50
Bruce Kullgren, labor	5.80
Martin Eddy, labor	19.50
Gordon Starkweather, labor	336.00
Mileage	8.90
Kullgren Construction, truck	156.80
Backhoe	114.00
Dozer	19.88
Harold Wilson, gravel	59.50
Yankee Auto, Supplies	38.65
Auto Electric Service, valve job on Hough	41.44
Indian Plate Glass, glass for grader	12.76
Central Petroleum, oil, wood preserver	160.60
Chappell Tractor Sales, parts for grader	4.14
Public Service Co. of N.H.	4.77
Joslin Hardware, Supplies	20.92
Auto Parts Sale, supplies	34.50
International Harvester, starter for Hough	24.45
Lumbertown, shovel	6.61
A.W. Peters, fuel oil, diesel fuel, gasoline, kerosine	122.59
New England Telephone	19.14
Liquid Carbonic Corp., oxygen & acetylene	14.16
Chadwick BaRoss, brake line	3.60

Merrimack Farmers Exchange, stone picker	10.48
Mervin E. Willard, supplies	36.08
Milford Asphalt, cold patch	477.72
Derby & Little, flints	.89
Rices, repairing Hough tires	82.13
Sanel Auto Parts, supplies	10.30
R.C. Hazelton, grader blades	44.40
Nyanza, calcium chloride	<u>348.00</u>
TOTAL	\$8,795.10

DUMP

January 1, through March 9, 1973

Charles Willard, Labor	\$ 52.70
Backhoe	<u>40.98</u>
	\$ 93.68

WINTER

Winter Appropriation	\$15,000.00
Detailed Payment (March 17 - December 31)	
Harold N. Kullgren, Labor	\$ 1,183.21
Truck & Plow	85.60
Pickup	58.00
Truck	130.00
Saw	15.00
Eugene Clement, Jr., Labor	903.55
Pickup	16.00
Saw	6.00
Bruce Kullgren, labor	3.00
Russell Tyler, pickup plow	23.75
Brooks Quinn, sand	76.60
Richard Jordan, pickup plow	42.75
Charles Willard, tractor plow	101.50
William Ellis, tractor plow	78.00
Kullgren Construction, truck sanding	283.80
truck plow	139.10
loader plow	75.00
Dozer	66.25
Backhoe	67.38
Mechanical labor	85.00
Loading sand	16.80
Russ Riddle, repairing plows	142.42
A. W. Peters, fuel	67.80
Share Corp., supplies	16.58
Merrimack Farmers, wedge & axe	11.59
Chemical Corp., salt	339.30
Public Service of N.H.	7.17
R. C. Hazelton, supplies	138.34
New England Telephone	11.87
Joslin Hardware, supplies	36.42
Tuttle Building Supplies, supplies	12.68
J. Sheldon Motor Service, service on Hough	17.50
Harold Wilson, gravel	22.75
	<u>\$ 4,280.71</u>

DUNCAN FUND

Duncan Fund (1972 balance)	\$3,844.72	
(1973 fund)	<u>\$5,172.94</u>	\$9,017.66

DETAILED PAYMENTS

Harold N. Kullgren, labor	\$ 1,059.38
Pickup	82.00
Truck	282.20
Saw	5.00
Mileage	25.00
Eugene Clement, Jr., labor	981.51
Pickup	2.00
Saw	16.50
Mileage	6.00
Charles Willard, backhoe	595.00
William Benotti, truck	588.90
Joseph Miller, truck	182.00
Kullgren Construction, truck	827.10
Backhoe	126.00
Loader	232.50
Dozer	808.26
Gravel	91.20
New England Telephone	56.27
Merrimack Industrial Metals, steel bridge rails	300.00
Agway, snath	7.95
Auto Parts Sales, supplies	25.36
A. W. Peters, fuel	158.15
Public Service of N.H.	9.91
Share Corp., galvanizing spray	24.00
Merrimack Farmers, supplies	10.48
Tuttle Building Supplies, bolts	8.70
Sanel Auto Parts, signs	12.05
Harold Wilson, gravel	209.00
Riley Brothers, bridge planks	334.80
Bruce Kullgren, labor	3.00
Brian Kullgren, labor	3.00
Eastern Culvert Co., culverts	823.52
Davidson Concrete Products, gravel	339.50
McKay & Wright, stone	92.70
Milford Asphalt, cold patch	90.53
R. C. Hazelton, supplies	50.82
TOTAL	\$ 8,470.29

WINTER HIGHWAY

January 1, through March 9, 1973

Charles Willard, labor	\$ 1,145.80
Loader	305.45
Snow Plow	222.00
Pickup	114.00
Postage	13.92
Harold N. Kullgren, trucking	816.00
Truck Plow	486.85
Loader Plow	406.00
Bulldozer	70.00
Contract Labor	18.30
Eugene Clement, Jr., Labor	1,177.40
R.C. Hazelton Co., Inc., Equipment parts	969.26
The Chemical Corp., Salt	686.20
B-B Chain, Chains-Hough & Grader	474.00
A.W. Peters, Inc., Fuel	467.23
William Benotti, Trucking	357.20
Nashua Diesel Service, Grader parts & repair	336.20
Russ Riddle's Portable Welding, Hough	
Bucket & Plows	273.00
Russell Tyler, Jr., Pickup Plow	211.50
Truck Sander	27.00
Richard Jordan, Pickup Plow	189.00
Richard Benotti, Labor	101.50
Milford Asphalt Corp., Cold Patch	87.55
Brooks Quinn, Sand	71.40
William Ellis, Tractor Plow	66.83
Public Service Co. of N.H., Electricity-Garage	57.49
Harris Construction, Grader Hydraulic Line	39.66
New England Telephone, Telephone-Garage	34.31
Yankee Auto Parts, Equipment Parts	25.13
Mervin E. Willard, Supplies	22.63
Auto-Part Sales Co., Equipment Parts	12.84
Griffin Enterprises, Welding-Grader Driveshaft	12.50
Demers Plate Glass, Grader Window	6.43
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	\$ 9,304.59

GAS SUBSIDY

Gas Subsidy	\$ 9,000.00
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DETAILED PAYMENT

Harold Kullgren, labor	\$ 1,035.00
Pickup truck	124.00
Dump truck	525.20
Backhoe	147.00
Lime Spreader	10.00
Mileage	12.00
Baled hay	5.00
Tractor	33.00
Tractor Mowing	60.00
Kullgren Construction, dump truck	346.75
Loader	191.50
Backhoe	133.00
Harold Wilson, gravel	12.50
Eugene Clement, labor	888.87
Pickup truck	4.00
Chain saw	1.50
William Benotti, truck	261.00
Gordon Starkweather, labor	148.50
Atter Brothers, sand	24.00
Bruce Kullgren, labor	9.00
Glines Landscape Service, model RHF	
Sweepster	450.00
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, supplies	21.36
Lake Asphalt & Petroleum, asphalt	901.55
New England Telephone	11.02
Riley Brothers, lumber	34.00
Auto Electric Service, drill	2.50
Harris Construction, tar & sand	82.13
Public Service Co. of N.H.	4.91
A. W. Peters, fuel oil & gas	99.26

R. C. Hazelton, cylinder for Hough, Repair sander	612.04
Central Petroleum, grease, grease gun, paint and oil	140.79
John Burroughs Trucking, crushing gravel	841.50
B. B. Chain, chains	52.92
Quinn Brothers, gravel	280.00
Sanel, bolts	60.65
Milford Asphalt, cold patch	200.18
N. H. Bituminous, asphalt	879.20
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	\$ 8,645.83

TRUST FUNDS

December 31, 1973

ASSETS

	Peterborough Savings Bank	Mason Village Savings Bank
Savings Accounts	\$ 7,393.36	\$ 1,902.05
Certificates of Deposit	24,600.00	18,700.00
	<u>\$31,993.36</u>	<u>\$20,602.05</u>
Total, Banks	\$52,595.41	
Putnam Investors Fund, market	2,582.49	
Grand Total	<u>\$55,177.90</u>	

LIABILITIES

Fund	Principal	Accumulated Interest	Total
Bragg	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 1,747.02	\$ 5,247.02
Buswell	2,500.00	2,239.90	4,739.90
Cemetery Lots	10,925.00	2,250.66	13,175.66
Common	2,000.00	223.96	2,223.96
Scholarship	20,044.33	2,212.28	22,256.61
Wheeler	263.48	77.40	340.88
Year 2008	5.00	3.91	8.91
Hayward-Davidson	2,582.49	152.53	2,735.02
Fire Equip. Reserve	4,000.00	449.94	4,449.94
TOTALS	<u>\$45,820.30</u>	<u>\$ 9,357.60</u>	<u>\$55,177.90</u>

JAMES A. BRAGG FUND

January 1, 1973		
Principal and Interest	\$ 6,011.73	
1973 Interest Income	385.29	
	<u>6,397.02</u>	
Entertainment May 30, 1973	150.00	
Temple Tennis Court Fund	1,000.00	
Dec. 31, 1973 Principal & Interest		\$ 5,247.02

HARRIETT M. BUSWELL FUND

January 1, 1973		
Principal and Interest	\$ 4,589.29	
Interest Income	304.99	
	<u>4,894.28</u>	
Care of uncared Cemetery Lots	154.38	
Dec. 31, 1973 Principal & Interest		\$ 4,739.90

CEMETERY LOTS FUND

January 1, 1973		
Principal and Interest	\$12,957.14	
Interest Income	739.77	
Addition-Henry W. Sheldrick	25.00	
	<u>13,721.91</u>	
Mowing, trimming, raking grass	546.25	
Dec. 31, 1973 Principal & Interest		\$13,175.66

COMMON FUND

January 1, 1973		
Principal and Interest	\$ 2,218.54	
	135.42	
	<u>2,353.96</u>	
Care of grass on Common	130.00	
Dec. 31, 1973 Principal & Interest		\$ 2,223.96

SCHOLARSHIP FUND

January 1, 1973		
Principal and Interest	\$21,762.29	
Gifts received	260.50	
Interest Income	1,433.82	
	<u>23,456.61</u>	
Scholarships awarded	1,200.00	
Dec. 31, 1973 Principal and Interest		\$22,256.61

F. A. WHEELER FUND

January 1, 1973		
Principal and Interest	\$ 332.58	
Interest Income	<u>18.30</u>	
	350.88	
Temple School Achievement Awards	<u>10.00</u>	
Dec. 31, 1973 Principal and Interest		\$ 340.88

TRUST FUND YEAR 2008

January 1, 1973		
Principal and Interest	\$ 8.46	
Interest Income	<u>.45</u>	
Dec. 31, 1973 Principal and Interest		\$ 8.91

HAYWARD-DAVIDSON FUND

January 1, 1973		
Dividend and Interest Balance	\$ 125.74	
1973 Dividends	59.47	
1973 Interest	<u>7.32</u>	
	192.53	
Cemetery Care	<u>40.00</u>	
Dec. 31, 1973 Dividend & Interest Balance		\$ 152.53

This fund was created in 1952 by a gift of Putnam Investors Fund shares. At the beginning of the year there were 266.222 shares in the Fund, with a market value of \$11.32, for a total of \$3,013.63. At year's end there were 285.990 shares, with a market value of \$9.03, for a total of \$2,582.49.

FIRE EQUIPMENT CAPITAL RESERVE FUND

January 1, 1973		
Capital Paid in	\$ 4,000.00	
Accumulated Interest	225.54	
Interest Earned 1973	<u>224.40</u>	
Dec. 31, 1973 Total Capital & Interest		\$ 4,449.94

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS
 TEMPLE, N.H.
 CEMETERY LOTS FUNDS
 December 31, 1973

Year Started	Name	Fund	Interest Balance 1/1/73	Income	Expended	Interest Balance 12/31/73
1969	James O. Allen	\$ 100.	3.90	7.24	5.00	6.14
1939	John P. Anderson	100.	30.09	7.24	5.00	32.33
1908	Rodney Ball	50.	12.42	3.62	2.50	13.54
1956	Vernon Banks	100.	19.39	7.24	5.00	21.63
1964	Seth D. Barraclough	100.	9.25	7.24	5.00	11.49
1937	Karl W. Bigelow	200.	37.55	14.49	10.00	42.04
1900	Josiah Blood	400.	28.95	28.95	20.00	110.72
1918	James Bragg	100.	7.24	7.24	5.00	31.76
1928	Dewitt C. Bragdon	100.	7.24	7.24	5.00	29.43
1930	Isaac Brown	150.	53.22	10.87	7.50	56.59
1950	Blanche C. Burton	200.	59.24	14.49	10.00	63.73
1945	Dexter L. Burton	50.	11.46	3.62	2.50	12.58
1946	Fred E. Burton	200.	66.37	14.49	10.00	70.86
1955	James E. Burton	100.	20.87	7.24	5.00	23.11
1898	Herman & James Buss	100.	26.76	7.24	5.00	29.00
1970	David C. Church	100.	1.85	7.24	5.00	4.09
1953	Milton G. Clark	100.	23.06	7.24	5.00	25.30
1909	Elias Colburn	100.	28.50	7.24	5.00	30.74
1951	Frank A. Colburn	200.	49.87	14.49	10.00	54.36
1935	George E. Colburn	100.	28.22	7.24	5.00	30.46
1951	Nathan & Charles Colburn	100.	23.29	7.24	5.00	25.53
1951	Colburn-Weston	100.	23.29	7.24	5.00	25.53
1949	James M. Cutter	100.	24.58	7.24	5.00	26.82
1958	Susie E. Cutter	100.	16.95	7.24	5.00	19.19
1936	Albert B. Davidson	75.	16.10	5.44	3.75	17.79
1946	Everett W. Davidson	100.	23.82	7.24	5.00	26.06
1951	Jonas Davis (E. Dumas)	200.	50.38	14.49	10.00	54.87
1962	Murray G. Day	100.	12.00	7.24	5.00	14.24
1940	Grace L. Deering	100.	31.77	7.24	5.00	34.01
1968	Charles P. Dillaby	100.	6.81	7.24	5.00	9.05
1938	Edwin B. Edwards	50.	7.47	3.62	2.50	8.59
1949	John W. Edwards	100.	28.58	7.24	5.00	30.82
1900	Nathaniel Edwards	200.	60.33	14.49	10.00	64.82
1947	Nettie H. Edwards	50.	11.00	3.62	2.50	12.12
1911	Simon B. Farrar	50.	14.53	3.62	2.50	15.65
1922	Esther Farwell	50.	10.22	3.62	2.50	11.34
1902	Daniel M. Felt	125.	34.54	9.06	6.25	37.35
1907	Lucius W. Felt	50.	13.27	3.62	2.50	14.39
1924	Horace Fish	50.	13.07	3.62	2.50	14.19

1938	Henry E. Fish	50.	43.48	3.62	2.50	44.60
1968	Lindsay H. Gove	100.	6.80	7.24	5.00	9.04
1959	Emil Gretner	100.	15.29	7.24	5.00	17.53
1961	Clara Hadley	100.	11.99	7.24	5.00	14.23
1972	Osgood L. Hadley	100.	0	7.24	5.00	2.24
1964	Albert E. Harling	100.	9.31	7.24	5.00	11.55
1964	John B. Harling	100.	9.31	7.24	5.00	11.55
1928	Brooks M. Heald	100.	28.50	7.24	5.00	30.74
1928	Joseph A. Hill	100.	31.87	7.24	5.00	34.11
1963	Hodkin-Ordway	100.	10.17	7.24	5.00	12.41
1961	Samuel Hodkin	150.	14.20	10.87	7.50	17.57
1963	Alvin W. Holt Sr.	100.	10.17	7.24	5.00	12.41
1961	Charles W. Holt	100.	11.99	7.24	5.00	14.23
1961	Nathan A. Holt	100.	11.98	7.24	5.00	14.22
1955	Lewis Howard	100.	19.13	7.24	5.00	21.37
1923	Huntly-Wilson	200.	55.55	14.49	10.00	60.04
1952	Howard A. Jerauld	100.	23.72	7.24	5.00	25.96
1950	Keyes-Howard	150.	39.41	10.87	7.50	42.78
1971	Bernice M. Kullgren	100.	1.61	7.24	5.00	3.85
1969	Norman J. LaBier	100.	3.95	7.24	5.00	6.19
1971	John J. Maretti	100.	1.61	7.24	5.00	3.85
1963	John D. Marr, Sr.	100.	10.16	7.24	5.00	12.40
1964	Thomas F. Mazza	100.	9.31	7.24	5.00	11.55
1908	Rev. Noah Miles	100.	30.60	7.24	5.00	32.84
1970	Milenko Mitrovich	100.	1.85	7.24	5.00	4.09
1967	Elliott W. Orcutt	100.	6.90	7.24	5.00	9.14
1935	Lumas Pease	100.	30.11	7.24	5.00	32.35
1933	Levi Pierce	100.	28.77	7.24	5.00	31.01
1957	Kitty E. Quinn	100.	19.76	7.24	5.00	22.00
1951	Flora H. Rhind	200.	27.19	14.49	10.00	31.68
1967	William J. Riney	100.	3.95	7.24	5.00	6.19
1935	Charles E. Rockwood	50.	12.10	3.62	2.50	13.22
1972	Joseph & Margaret Sawtell	100.	0	7.24	5.00	2.24
1970	Edmund San Soucie	100.	1.85	7.24	5.00	4.09
1961	Henry W. Sheldrick	675.	49.41	48.91	33.75	64.57
1907	Jonathan M. Spaulding	50.	11.49	3.62	2.50	12.61
1938	Jonathan & Lydia Spaulding	100.	31.25	7.24	5.00	33.49
1958	Guy A. Stimson	100.	17.46	7.24	5.00	19.70
1968	Harry E. Stratton	100.	6.81	7.24	5.00	9.05
1945	A. Clinton Swift	200.	59.58	14.49	10.00	64.07
1970	James C.M. Tillinghast	100.	1.85	7.24	5.00	4.09
1968	Charles W. Tobey	200.	8.64	14.49	10.00	13.13
1918	Charles W. Walton	100.	30.19	7.24	5.00	32.43
1952	Charles P. Wheeler	100.	24.95	7.24	5.00	27.19
1954	Clara M. Wheeler	150.	33.88	10.87	7.50	37.25
1945	George H. Wheeler	100.	25.81	7.24	5.00	28.05
1933	Lizzie A. Wheeler	50.	13.49	3.62	2.50	14.61
1964	James O. Whitcomb	100.	9.34	7.24	5.00	11.58

1893	Eleazer Whiting	100.	26.99	7.24	5.00	29.23
1946	August Wickstrom	50.	12.19	3.62	2.50	13.31
1940	Annie L. Young	100.	26.00	7.24	5.00	28.24
1963	Ernest G. Young	150.	15.24	10.87	7.50	18.61
1922	Greenleaf D. Young	150.	37.52	10.87	7.50	40.89
1967	Herbert Young	100.	6.92	7.24	5.00	9.16
1969	Martin C. Young	100.	3.95	7.24	5.00	6.19
94 Lots	TOTALS		\$10,925.	2,058.14	791.57	546.25 2,303.08

TRUSTEES OF THE TRUST FUNDS

December 14, 1973

To The Board of Selectmen
Temple, New Hampshire

Sirs:

Enclosed are three checks to pay for the cost of maintenance of the cemeteries, and one check to apply to the cost of mowing the Common:

Cemetery Lots Fund	\$546.25
Harriet M. Buswell Fund	154.38
Hayward-Davidson Fund	40.00
Common Fund	130.00
	<u>\$870.63</u>

The Selectmen named Mr. Michael Salera to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Trustee Everett J. Wilson.

The Scholarship Committee consisting of the three Trustees of Trust Funds, member-at-large Christina Caswell, and a member from the Conval School administration, William Lary, met and awarded scholarships for the year 1973 to: Heidy Mazza, Brian Turini and Toni Mazza.

The Fannie A. Wheeler Fund awards made to the students at Temple School were: Grades 1 and 2-Scott Edwards, Grades 3 and 4-Philip Marchuk, and Grades 5 and 6-Sue Harling.

Trustees of the Trust Funds,
Esther S. Church
Ellis Jensen
Michael Salera

SELECTMEN'S REPORT OR A REPORT FROM THE KITCHEN

With this report the Board of Selectmen hope to start a custom for all future Boards to follow. As your elected representatives, we have strived to conduct the affairs of the Town both prudently and fairly. Obviously we cannot, and should not, comment on every item and every dollar spent and received, especially in those categories that are the province of other officials.

Early in December we sent letters to all Town officers explaining our need for early copy and early reports. The response has been gratifying and for this and for their co-operation throughout the year we thank those Town officers, the members of special committees and also the concerned citizen who has offered his time and resources for the good of the Town.

Last April the Town sponsored a village clean-up day; an off-shoot of "Good Roads Day" which was originated just sixty years ago (1914). It is our hope that "Keep Temple Beautiful Day" will become an annual affair that will serve to improve the appearance of the Town and also to bring the townspeople closer together. We have budgeted the sum of one hundred dollars to defray the expenses of a clean-up day in 1974.

While the job of repairing and restoring the town hall cupola has not been completed, what work has been done has done much to enhance the appearance of the hall. The work will be completed in 1974 with private funds which have already been received by the Selectmen. The expenditure of these funds has been budgeted under "Town Charges".

The contract for the new fire truck was signed last April with a promised delivery date of early July. (This date was for the delivery of the chassis to the body manufacturer). However, GMC did not deliver the chassis until early November, a fact that had everyone except General Motors pretty well upset. Congressman Jim Cleveland intervened for us and he at least received a written communication from GMC. Delivery of the completed truck should be some time in late February.

Over the years the expenditure of TRA funds has become an increasingly difficult problem. Many people fear that all trees and walls along the right-of-way will be removed and thus destroy the "character"

of the road. Trees and stone walls are items that lend charm and beauty to a country road and should be left in place where practical. When a road is being upgraded most walls can be left intact but there are some trees that present a hazard or create a maintenance problem and should be removed. The Scenic Road Law has been amended in a way that allows the towns to cope with this problem in a more realistic (but still restricted) manner. The members of this Board do not feel that all trees and walls have to be removed nor do they feel that all roads have to be at the maximum width and black-topped. We do feel that because of the economics of the situation certain trouble areas should be tarred to prevent the erosion of the gravel surface. Good gravel is not only becoming scarce but it is also becoming very expensive to buy and process.

The continuing problem of East Road has been of interest to most of you; to the Selectmen it has been most vexing and frustrating to say the least. We have spent many hours on the site and in conference but we have not, as yet, been granted the easements needed to keep and/or expand the present drainage system. Because no emergency existed we felt that we had neither the legal or moral right to commit the problem to the courts. The expenses involved could add a dollar or more to the tax rate. We believe that there are other ways of solving the matter and in the end it could resolve itself.

The Moderator, empowered by action taken under Article 22 of the 1973 Town warrant, appointed a committee to investigate the problem of storing Town records and artifacts. This committee has submitted a report and recommendations for the consideration of the 1974 annual meeting. The committee has also made a study of certain other needs of the Town, both present and future, and we hope that this too will be presented to the meeting.

Considerable time and thought has been given to the preparation of the 1974 Town Budget. It has been virtually impossible to "hold the line" and still maintain basic services. Hourly wages and mileage allowances have been raised in order that we might be able to keep experienced personnel. Within the Highway Department we have granted time-and-half pay after forty hours during the Winter months plus six paid Holidays during the calendar year. We feel that this is very definitely in the best interests of the Town.

Two other matters that will be placed before this meeting will be the purchase of a new loader for the Highway Department and the purchase of new radios for the Police Department. Although prices, facts and figures are not available at this time we do feel that these matters should be given serious consideration by the meeting. The loader we now have is eleven years old and requires more and more expensive repairs. The radio equipment now being used by the Police Department is twenty or more years old and is becoming impossible to keep in a usable condition.

Solid waste disposal is a very untidy subject from any point of view, financial or physical. There are several articles pertaining to this subject contained in the 1974 warrant. Because there are people working on this matter, and these studies will continue right up to Town Meeting and beyond, we cannot make any recommendations in this report. However, any solution offered will cost us more, much more, than the few dollars that we now spend on dump maintenance. The State officials make many laws and regulations for the several towns to observe and obey but they offer few solutions to the financial problems created. Perhaps consolidation with other towns is the solution but this too should be given a good hard look.

This report was given a rather facetious sub-title for a reason and that was to emphasize the lack of meeting facilities for the Board of Selectmen and other boards such as Planning and Adjustment. We hope that the meeting will see fit to raise a sum of money to remodel the unused portion of the balcony. Included in this appropriation would be a sum for the purchase of a new adding machine (a print-out calculator) for the use of the Selectmen.

During its 1973 session the General Court passed a law implementing the "Open Sapce" amendment to the Constitution. The new statute created an advisory commission whose purpose was to establish regulatory guidelines. The new commission has not as yet finished this phase of the program. We are hopeful that summaries of the statute and guidelines will be published in pamphlet form. Any information we now have is available to any person requesting it and as further information is received it too will be available, possibly through the medium of a public meeting.

As we consider the financial state of the Town let us not forget the demands of the school system. In the year 1973 the tax rate was increased by the sum of four dollars and forty cents. Three dollars and ninety cents went for school costs (including the infamous pupil count error) and fifty cents went to the County. Simple arithmetic tells us that the Town got none of the increase. This year school costs are taking another huge jump for Temple and will very seriously effect the tax rate. Federal Revenue Sharing Funds and a reimbursement under Old Age Assistance did much to alleviate our tax situation in 1973 but it appears that we will not be so fortunate this year.

With the above report we have strived to make the following points:

1. The problems confronting the Town are being met and solved.
2. Other problems are constantly arising and many demand immediate consideration and action.
3. Most of your tax dollar goes to the school system and only by your attendance at the annual school meeting can you hope to alleviate this problem.

Respectfully submitted,
Albert A. Quinn
Wilfred C. Weston
Alden W. Smith

Selectmen of Temple

The above report was prepared by the Chairman and reflects the basic thinking of the Board. However, Mr. Weston and Mr. Smith reserve the right to differ on certain details presented or omitted.

A.A.Q.
4 Feb. 1974

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT – 1973

During the year 1973 your Police Department investigated the following cases:

Motor Vehicle Accidents	16
Prowlers	3
House Breaks	9
Other Thefts	2
Motor Vehicle Violations incl. DWI	15
Burglar Alarm Calls	7
Mail Box Thefts	1
Fire Calls	10
Abandoned Cars	8
Dog Problems (dog officer not available)	2
Obscene Phone Calls	8
Juvenile Problems	1
Miscellaneous Calls	38

We spent about 150 hours on drug investigation - participated in two drug raids - made eight court appearances - made periodic checks of unoccupied residences and did routine patrolling. In the performance of these duties we logged over 1600 hours and 9000 miles. Of the time involved over 900 hours was put in by the chief.

Our thanks to Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd for their gift to the department. Through this fund it has been possible to furnish each officer with adequate protective clothing for winter weather.

We hope that everyone will become more aware of any unusual happenings and call us immediately.

Respectfully submitted,

Russell Tyler, Jr.
Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE FIRE ENGINEERS – 1973

The year 1973 was a fairly quiet year. We had one chimney fire February 5th, one roof fire caused from improper installation of a wood stove, on February 27th.

We had a fire at Naglie's home on March 2nd, and a brush fire at Fisk's on March 13th.

We were called to the Ellison's Place in early morning of March 27th. This fire had much of a start before we were summoned and we lost it. We were called to wet down the smouldering ruins again on March 29th.

The department was called to a car accident on Rt. 101 on April 7th and the Riley residence on April 14th for a chimney fire.

The Department provided a truck for controlled burning at the site of the new tennis courts on August 24th and 25th.

The Temple Fire Department provided trucks and equipment for the purpose of demonstrations, etc. at the Temple School on October 15th in conjunction with Fire Prevention Week.

The Department was called to a dump fire on October 17th, there was a ban on burning at this time.

A Massachusetts car was discovered burning in Ellis' cornfield on the evening of December 6th and the department was summoned.

The Selectmen and Fire Engineers ordered our new fire truck and were promised delivery in October. Unfortunately General Motors didn't deliver the cab and chassis in July as promised. The Cab and Chassis were delivered in November and we are expecting delivery about February 10th, 1974.

The Temple Fire Department has a savings account consisting of funds earned at our annual Horse Show, Dances, Donations and other fund raising events. The men of the department voted to use \$1188.00 from this fund to purchase a new two frequency radio for our new truck. We hope the taxpayers appreciate the efforts these men put forth to save the taxpayers this amount of money.

John Harling collected donations after the Naglie fire and this money along with other funds, helped us purchase a new smoke ejector fan.

Fire Engineers,
James K. Naglie
James W. Quinn
Christopher Harling

TEMPLE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

FINANCIAL REPORT

For Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1973

Bank Balance, January 1, 1973	697.13	
Receipts:		
Town Approp.	700.00	
Town Approp.	700.00	
Town Approp.	247.31	
Town Approp.	140.74	
Fireman's Fund*	200.00	
Total Receipts		2685.18
Disbursements:		
Public Service Co. Of N.H. Elect.	123.71	
Rosario Bernier, fuel oil	125.68	
Rosario Bernier, oil & install motor	59.49	
Frost's Farm Service, port. generator	100.00	
Souhegan Mutual Fire Aid Assoc. dues	5.00	
Brookside Alignment & Garage		
truck repair	106.45	
Benner Electronics, radio repair	50.00	
Dumaine & Leonard Com., radio repair	25.00	
Manchester Oxygen Co., fire ext.	133.00	
Farrar Co. Inc., pump parts & repair	336.25	
Evelyn Naglie, awards for 4th.	7.00	
Universal Badge & Label Co.,		
ribbons for 4th	182.05	
State of N.H., inc. papers	5.00	
James W. Quinn, elect. supplies & labor	258.93	
David G. Adams, gaskets	9.00	
David G. Adams, smoke ejector	225.00	
Yankee Auto Parts, battery & light	30.91	
Pierce of Peterborough, gas, 4th	3.50	
Mervin E. Willard, gas, oil, etc.	86.91	
Raymon C. Willard, janitor service	4.00	
Milford Lumber Co., o.h. door & lumber	248.63	
Fireman's Payroll	478.00	
Total Disbursements		2603.51
Bank Balance December 31, 1973		81.67

Respectfully submitted,
 Thomas M. Willard
 Treasurer, TVFD

*operating deficit for 1973 = \$118.33

FIREMAN'S FUND 1972

Cash Balance January 1, 1972	1601.81	
Receipts:		
John Biro Lloyd, donation	100.00	
Bill Sarna, filled pool	10.00	
Anthony Mazza, filled pool	10.00	
Horse Show Proceeds	147.56	
Harold Kullgren, donation	10.00	
Wedding reception proceeds at Gene Martin's	90.80	
Alden Smith, donation	103.00	
John Bird Lloyd, donation	100.00	
Coffee Mess	15.00	
Interest 1972	86.40	
Total Receipts and On Hand		2274.57
Less: Disbursements		
Battery Charger	117.88	
Donation Town Christmas Tree	30.00	
Total Disbursements		147.88
Cash Balance December 31, 1972		2126.69

FIREMAN'S FUND 1973

Cash Balance January 1, 1973	2126.69
Receipts:	
George Ellis, burning barn	10.00
John B. Harling, donation	10.00
Mervin E. Willard, donation	10.00
Raymond V. Harling, donation	10.00
William H. Wildes, donation	10.00
Albert H. Gove, donation	10.00
Charles Willard, donation	10.00
James K. Naglie, donation	15.00
Harold N. Kullgren, donation	10.00

Donation by Participants at Grass		
Fire, March 1973	37.95	
A.C. Murray, burning field	50.00	
Furnace inspections, Chief Naglie	4.00	
Horse Show Proceeds	744.90	
Karl Von Sneidern, pumping well	10.00	
Mrs. J.D. Marr, cleaning chimney	10.00	
Proceeds from 1973 Fireman's Ball	455.14	
Coffee Mess	15.00	
Interest 1973	124.84	
Total Receipts and On Hand		3673.52
Less: Disbursements		
Benny Blood, plastic tarp	14.97	
N.H. State Firemen's Assoc. ins.	66.00	
Donation Town Christmas tree	40.00	
David G. Adams, smoke ejector	85.00	
Withdrawal to cover operating		
Deficit	200.00	
Total Disbursements		<u>405.97</u>
Cash Balance December 31, 1973		3267.55

TEMPLE FOURTH OF JULY FUND

On deposit with the Indian Head National Bank in Wilton.

Total \$501.96

James K. Naglie, Chief
Temple Vol. Fire Dept.

REPORT OF THE FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND DISTRICT CHIEF

The New Hampshire Forest Fire Service is represented in every town, city or unorganized place in our state by the forest fire warden. Anyone wishing to kindle an outside fire when the ground is not covered with snow must first obtain the written permission of the fire warden. Except for cooking fires, no fire can be kindled between 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. unless it is a commercial or industrial burn or it is raining. The fire warden is assisted in his work by the District Forest Fire Chief who works for the Department of Resources and Economic Development Forest Fire Service.

Fire prevention was, again this year, the most important part of the Forest Fire Warden's job. Fire statistics show the need with 72% of the fires caused by smoking, debris burning and children. Smokey the Bear is an important prevention tool but he still needs much help from the public. Parents should warn their children of the hazards of playing with matches. Children tend to forget that a lighted match held in their hand is a potential forest fire.

FOREST FIRE RECORD

State — 617 Fires reported, 244 Acres burned, .395 Acres average size.

District — 196 Fires reported, 71 Acres burned.

Town — 1 Fire reported, 1 Acre burned.

Winthrop H. Hannaford
District Fire Chief

Wilson Allen
Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF THE TEMPLE TENNIS COMMITTEE

At the Temple Town Meeting in March of 1973 it was voted that \$1,000 be appropriated towards the construction of tennis courts. Since then the Temple Tennis Committee has worked to accomplish several objectives. Mrs. Frank Hildebrand generously donated a tract of land. The tract has been surveyed, registered and is now owned by the Town of Temple. We were very fortunate that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (National Guard) agreed to clear the land, remove the stumps and do the sub-surface grading at no cost to the town.

The Committee would like to thank all the Temple residents and non-residents who have given of their time, experience and energies to make possible the progress during this past year. Also to those of you who have responded to our initial request for a private fund raising project to offset the total cost of the tennis courts.

In the year of 1974 we look forward to the continued and additional volunteer support in both services and financing so that the Temple tennis courts will soon become a reality to benefit our present and future generations.

Michael A. Salera
Chairman

MEMORIAL DAY, 1973

A BRIEF ACCOUNT

Temple's memorial services for 1973 included, like a wedding, something old, something new. Innovations included the Con-Val Marching Band's Temple debut, and the introduction of grinders as the noon-meal entree.

Something old was donated by the Library Trustees, who instituted a rural renaissance of sorts with their resurrection of the "Strawberry Festival", a colorful name which has more sales appeal than "Ice Cream Sundaes Sold Here". Semantics notwithstanding, the event was well received, the strawberries soon gone, and to the best of my knowledge not one case of hives was contracted. I therefore look forward to the inclusion of the Strawberry Festival in the 1974 program.

Getting back to new things, it was generally conceded that the Con-Val Band played well, and their presence afforded Temple taxpayers a manifestation of where at least a portion of their education dollars are being consumed.

The above-mentioned grinders (or hoagies, or submarines, depending on the mood) constituted a welcome change of pace in our holiday dining. Lucille Longo spearheaded a culinary breakthrough, and related how nice it was "for us in the kitchen" to have things literally all wrapped up the evening before, thus permitting them to more fully enjoy the day too. Additionally, parade marchers could break bread outside, if they were so disposed, thus easing congestion and aiding digestion. And finally, left-overs sold quickly, helping to defray costs.

And so the day went. With the exception of the few embellishments described above, Memorial Day of 1973 was observed in Temple in the same manner as every year. Residents and friends of the Town turned out for the ceremonies honoring servicemen and for the socializing afterwards, just as they have done for decades before, and just as they will do after this writing; in an ever-changing, fluid world, Memorial Day serves as an annual reaffirmation of the continuity of things.

Obligingly submitted,

Paul C. Quinn, President,
Temple Ex-Servicemen's
Association

MEMORIAL DAY ACCOUNT

1973 Appropriation	\$400.00
Less: Expenses	<u>240.85</u>
Balance*	\$159.15

(*Returned to the Town 12/4/73)

TEMPLE VILLAGE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Estimated Expenses 1974

Insurance (Station, Workmen's Comp. & Vehicle)	\$ 480.00
Vehicle: Gas, Oil & Repairs	400.00
Payroll for Drills, etc.	600.00
Hose Replacement	750.00
1973 Over Expenditure	200.00
Lights, Heat & Furnace	300.00
Life Insurance through the Firemen's Assoc.	100.00
Mutual Aid Dues	10.00
Radio Repairs	150.00
Miscellaneous	<u>300.00</u>
TOTAL	\$3,290.00

SOUHEGAN VALLEY AMBULANCE DISTRICT SERVICE

Annual Report

In March of 1972, the four towns appropriated the sum of \$2.00 per capita amounting to \$8900.00, to support the ambulance service from September 1, 1972 to August 31, 1973. The actual cost of operations for that period was \$8424.73. Receipts for services rendered totaled \$2484.88, leaving a surplus of \$3365.15.

In March of 1973, the towns appropriated the sum of \$1.00 per capita amounting to \$4450.00, to cover cost of operations from September 1, 1973 to March 1974. Actual cost of operations from September 1, 1973 to December 31, 1973 total \$5665.28. Therefore, the \$4450 plus the surplus from the first year, less the \$5665.28 leaves us with \$3191.08 to operate for the next three months.

This year the towns will be asked to appropriate the sum of \$2.50 per capita. There are several reasons for this 50c increase, the first being that within the sixteen months of operation, two of the three ambulances were replaced at a cost of \$5,000. We anticipate the need of replacing the third ambulance this year. The cost of ambulance and radio maintenance, supplies and equipment have increased. There is also continuous need to increase the number of volunteers on the service and to provide training for these volunteers.

In the sixteen months of operation, the ambulance service has answered a total of 180 calls: Greenville (81), Mason (21), New Ipswich (72) and Temple (6). In the last four months, there has been a 20% increase in calls.

We wish to offer special thanks to the Greenville Legion Post Number 13, for donating \$400.00 to purchase two resuscitators; also to the Souhegan Lions Club and the Greenville Lions Club who each donated \$150.00 for the purchase of two scoop stretchers.

We thank all the volunteer driver/attendants, the Greenville Fire Department, Nelson's Answering Service and everyone who helped us during these first sixteen months of operation.

Respectfully submitted,
Allan LaFreniere
Fred S. Gilson
Stephen L. White
Clarence W. Daniels
David Cothill

The Board of Directors
January 7, 1974

BALANCE SHEET

For the period from Sept. 1, 1973 to Dec. 31, 1973

Surplus from operations	\$3365.15	
Received from the (4) towns	4450.00	
Received for services rendered	<u>1041.21</u>	\$8856.36
Expenses of operation		<u>5665.28</u>
Balance in checking acct.		\$3191.08

Liabilities:

Comex	\$207.73	
Walt's Cities Service	10.95	
Rich's Citgo	28.75	
Derby & Little Inc.	14.05	
Leo's Groceries	7.00	
Brookline Motors Inc.	6.00	\$274.48

NOTATION:

The 180 calls answered totaled to service fees of \$6480.00. Of this amount \$3476.09 has been collected, leaving \$3003.91 to be collected. Of the \$3003.91, there is \$1045.00 to be collected from Medicare, \$1165.00 from current accounts and \$793.91 in delinquent accounts.

DOG OFFICERS REPORT – TOWN OF TEMPLE, N.H. 1973

Number of Calls	39
Calls Investigated	30
Dogs Missing	26
Dogs Found	13
Dogs Returned to Owners	31
Dogs Bothering	2
Dogs Found Homes	2
Dogs Biting People	2
Dogs Killing other Animals	3
Dogs Killed by Cars	2
Dogs Destroyed for Town	4

30 Calls Investigated @ 3.00	\$ 90.00
4 Dogs Destroyed for town 6.00	24.00
31 Dogs Returned to Owners 3.00	93.00
2 Dogs Found New Homes 3.00	<u>6.00</u>
TOTAL	\$213.00

Respectfully submitted,

Wallace R. Blood
Dog Officer

TEMPLE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

ANNUAL REPORT

The Commission during 1973 has been working on the final acceptance of a parcel of land which is to be donated to the town. Several problems in the mechanics of acquiring the property have come up and it has taken longer than anticipated.

We are now in the process of building and erecting wood duck houses. They will be placed in various swamps around town to encourage the population of duck that is dwindling. The purpose of the houses is to get the duck nests off the ground so predatory animals cannot eat the eggs or young.

We are watching the results of the proposed sanitary land fill studies to replace our dump from a conservation stand point. The open dumps will be outlawed in 1975.

Clarence W. Daniels, Jr.

MANSFIELD LIBRARY

Fine Report	
On Hand January 1, 1973	\$ 2.29
Received for fines	33.75
	<hr/> \$36.04
Spent for Books*	31.05
On Hand December 31, 1973	<hr/> 4.99
*Fine money must be spent for books according to library law.	

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Circulation of books for the year was as follows: adult non-fiction 741, juvenile non-fiction 439, adult fiction 760, juvenile fiction 1,530, adult magazines 271, juvenile magazines 90, and records 21. Total circulation for the year was 3,852.

407 new titles were added to our library this year, 265 of these were gifts from the following donors: Mr. & Mrs. Alden Smith, Anne Lunt, Ruth DeQuoy, Mr. & Mrs. Russell Greene, Alan Hinchee, Lillian Maynard, Mary Donahoe, Katherine Brown, The Hervey Davidson's, Barbara Hedman, Brigitta Karl, Isobel Karl, Mr. & Mrs. William Howe, Joanne Keuper, The Kenneth Dows, Mildred Hildebrand, Ann Sargent, Camilla Nash, Jane Daniels, Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Donald, Mr. & Mrs. Ellis Jensen, and Raymon Willard.

Our special project for the year was work on the library grounds. The oversize cedars by the steps were removed and new trees set out at the side of the building on Community Improvement Day. Exterior painting of the building added to the overall appearance of the grounds. Also, the trustees purchased cement pots for each side of the entrance which have been most attractively filled with plants. On a very bitter Saturday afternoon some of the 4-H members and their leaders set out tulip bulbs. We hope to set out ground cover over the steep banks during the coming year. We would gladly welcome any volunteers!

Plans are now underway for organization of a Friends of the Library group this coming year.

National Library Week was celebrated in April by holding Open House. At this time books were given to the winners of the annual contests. The trustees served refreshments to all the school children.

A Strawberry Festival was organized by the trustees and strawberry shortcake was sold on the lawn during the band concert for Memorial Day exercises in June.

Nine children completed the Summer Fun Reading Program this summer and eight met for a swim party at the Weston's on July 31.

The pre-school story hour was a record breaking success this year. It has been conducted by Mary Thibodeau up until December 19. The mothers met and talked over cups of coffee and tea.

Excitement of the year was provided when the runaway truck backed into the rear wall of the library. The damages have not yet been repaired, and the children's section is temporarily stored in other parts of the building.

Many thanks to all our helpers during the year, also for our excellent newspaper coverage.

Due to the energy shortage the trustees voted to close the library on Monday evenings until May. At that time the hours will be Monday 7-9, Wednesday and Saturday 2-5. From now until May the library will be open on Wednesday and Saturday with phone calls welcomed at any time at my home. The book drop may be used at all times for the return of books.

Respectfully submitted,

Priscilla A. Weston
Librarian

MANSFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Temple, N.H.

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1, 1973 – December 31, 1973

RECEIPTS

Jan. 1, Balance on Hand	\$269.00
Gift from Jensen Foundation 1972	50.00
Gift of book from Ruth DeQuoy	4.00
Sale of old books	5.00
Gift from Helen Goquen	5.00
Town Appropriations	673.76
From Repair Fund	150.00
Strawberry Festival	38.64
Gift from Jensen Foundation 1973	100.00
From Margaret Bigelow Memorial Fund	50.00
	<hr/>
	\$1,345.40

EXPENDITURES

Books & Magazines	418.81
Heat	248.35
Snow Removal	15.62
Supplies & Postage	55.00
Paperback Book Rack	52.15
Cleaning	72.50
Janitor Services	25.00
Exterior Painting of building	150.00
Mileage for Librarian	7.80
	<hr/>
	\$1,045.23
Balance in checking account	300.17
	<hr/>
	\$1,345.40

MARGARET BIGELOW MEMORIAL FUND

Balance on Hand Jan. 1, 1973	388.75	
Interest earned	<hr/> 18.70	407.45
Withdrawal for books		<hr/> 50.00
Balance Dec. 31, 1973		<hr/> \$357.45

INSURANCE AND REPAIR FUND

Balance on Hand Jan. 1, 1973	251.20	
Town Appropriation	200.00	
Interest Earned	<u>11.96</u>	463.16
Exterior Painting of building		<u>150.00</u>
Balance Dec. 31, 1973		\$313.16

MANSFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

BUDGET FOR 1974

Books & Magazines	450.00
Heat	300.00
Librarian's Salary	840.00
Social Security	49.14
Mileage to District Meetings	25.00
Insurance & Repair Fund	200.00
Dehumidifier	150.00
Supplies & Postage	50.00
Cleaning	75.00
Janitor	25.00
Snow Removal	<u>25.00</u>
	\$2,189.14

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

At Town Meeting last year, the Town voted to authorize the Planning Board to adopt subdivision regulations. These regulations were developed by the Planning Board and finally adopted in July.

The Planning Board has also submitted some proposed changes to the Temple Zoning Ordinance. The changes will be voted upon at the Town Meeting.

After changes have been incorporated into the zoning ordinance, it is the intention of the Planning Board to include both the Zoning Ordinance and Subdivision Regulations into a printed booklet and distribute copies to the Town.

During the past year the Planning Board has held five public hearings. Unfortunately, the attendance at these hearings has been exceptionally low and it is difficult for the Planning Board to "guess" the general feeling of the Town in regard to the various subjects discussed. I certainly welcome and would appreciate greater turn-out and participation at future public meetings.

George M. Heck

Chairman

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Temple, N.H.

During the year 1973 two Applications for Appeal were received and assigned cases 1-73 and 2-73. In accordance with these appeals public hearings were held and the results are summarized as follows:

CASE 1-73, PUBLIC HEARING 1/23/73, RESULT: The lot in question was a legal lot - no action required; 1/30/73.

CASE 2-73, PUBLIC HEARING 4/3/73, RESULT: Variance granted to frontage requirement: 4/17/73.

In addition to the two public hearings nine regular meetings were held and on 5/29/73 the following officers of the board were elected:

Edgar Leighton III	Chairman
Harley Fetzer	Vice Chairman
Raymond F. Lee	Clerk

The operating expenses for the year were \$31.08 and are itemized as follows:

Expense Item	Cost
Public Newspaper Advertisements	\$29.00
Postage	2.08
Total	<hr/> \$31.08

Other activities of the Board of Adjustment consisted of proposed changes to the Temple Zoning Act of March 7, 1972 and recommendations were submitted in writing to the Planning Board on December 2, 1973.

The present members of the Board of Adjustment and term of office are:

Name	Term Expires
Raymond F. Lee	3/20/78
Roger Nutting	3/20/77
Harley Fetzer	3/20/76
Alden Smith	3/20/75
Edgar Leighton III	3/30/74

Respectfully submitted,
Raymond F. Lee, Clerk
27 December 1973

WARRANT ARTICLE NO. 22 COMMITTEE REPORT

In compliance with the wishes of the March, 1973, Temple Town Meeting, we the following were appointed as the committee for Article 22 by Moderator, Roger Nutting:

John Harling

Maureen Riley

Dorothy Turini

ARTICLE 22: To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the construction of a suitable fireproof and theftproof facility for the storage of Town records, documents of historic value, artifacts, and such other items of value and interest to the Town, as the Library Trustees may determine to be appropriate, or to take any other action relating thereto.

In response to this Article we, the Committee, suggest that an addition be added to the rear of the present library. The addition to be in keeping with the present architecture of the building. This addition would be constructed of brick and concrete so as to be as fireproof and theftproof as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

12/29/73
comm./mer.

John B. Harling
Dorothy M. Turini
Maureen Riley

TOWN AUDITOR'S REPORT

We have examined the accounts and records of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurer of the Library, Trustees of the Trust Funds, and Treasurer of the Fire Department; and have found them to be properly vouched for and correct.

We strongly recommend that the accounts of the Town Clerk be properly balanced monthly.

Date: February, 18, 1974

Julie Harling
Douglas R. Guy
Kenneth E. Saunders, Jr.

Town Auditors, 1973

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

Births Registered in Temple, N.H.
For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

Date of Birth — January 12, 1973
Name of Child — Michael David Connolly
Place of Birth — Peterborough, N.H.
Name of Father — Martin Thomas Connolly
Birthplace of Father — New York
Maiden Name of Mother — Lynda Ruth Connolly
Birthplace of Mother — New Jersey

Date of Birth — March 6, 1973
Name of Child — Marc Eben Clough
Place of Birth — Peterborough, N.H.
Name of Father — Alan Tenny Clough
Birthplace of Father — New Hampshire
Maiden Name of Mother — Charlene Ida Mazza
Birthplace of Mother — New Hampshire

Date of Birth — July 28, 1973
Name of Child — Deborah Jean Basha
Place of Birth — Peterborough, N.H.
Name of Father — Sidney Paul Basha
Birthplace of Father — New Hampshire
Maiden Name of Mother — Louise Regina St. Pierre
Birthplace of Mother — New Hampshire

MARRIAGES

Registered in Temple, N.H.

For the Year Ending December 31, 1973

October 21, 1972 — At Peterborough, N.H., Dana Ivory Hadley and Maureen Kay Geoffrey, by Robert T. Griffin, Priest, Peterborough, N.H.

May 12, 1973 — At Rindge, N.H., Eric Scott Calvert and Karin Emily Hedman, by Rev. James L. Haddix, Temple, N.H.

May 13, 1973 — At Temple, N.H., Orlo James Fiske and Kyoko Kawase at Temple, by Rev. James L. Haddix, Temple, N.H.

July 28, 1973 — At Temple, N.H., Rodney Michael McCarthy and Sherry Ethel Fiske by Rev. P. Stevens, New Ipswich, N.H.

September 20, 1973 — At Temple, N.H., Jonathan Alfred Blood and Cheryl Ann Belanger by Esther S. Church, Justice of the Peace.

September 29, 1973 — At Temple, N.H., Kenneth Richard Kickinson and Nancy Ann Champagne by Esther S. Church, Justice of the Peace.

October 20, 1973 — At Temple, N.H., Ian Godfrey Bennett and Diane Mancino by Rev. James L. Haddix, Temple, N.H.

December 1, 1973 — At Temple, N.H., Francis Edward Guay — Virginia Mae Blood by Rev. James L. Haddix, Temple, N.H.

December 1, 1973 — At Temple, N.H., John Paul Jordan and Heidy May Mazza by Rev. James L. Haddix and Rev. Lewis Stone, Peterborough, N.H.

December 8, 1973 — At Temple, N.H., Ralph Rene Blood and Nancy Bernier by Rev. James L. Haddix, Temple, N.H.

DEATHS

Registered in Temple, N.H.
For Year Ending December 31, 1973

Date of Death — January 7, 1973
Name of Deceased — Alvin W. Holt
Age — 77
Place of Birth — New Hampshire
Name of Father — William Holt
Maiden Name of Mother — Agnes M. Lash
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — January 25, 1973
Name of Deceased — Harold Cornelius Ellison
Age — 83
Place of Birth — Liberty, New York
Name of Father — George Washington Ellison
Maiden Name of Mother — Harriet Celestia Judd
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — February 3, 1973
Name of Deceased — Everett J. Wilson
Age — 73
Place of Birth — Massachusetts
Name of Father — John M. Wilson
Maiden Name of Mother — Lizzie M. Bryant
Place of Burial — Woodlawn, Everett, Mass.

Date of Death — February 12, 1973
Name of Deceased — Charles Henry Engel, III
Age — 60
Place of Birth — New Jersey
Name of Father — Charles Henry Engel II
Maiden Name of Mother — Clara Irene Voight
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — February 26, 1973
Name of Deceased — Florence Evelyn Willard
Age — 91
Place of Birth — New Hampshire
Name of Father — Herbert O. Hadley
Maiden Name of Mother — Nettie C. Curton
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — March 3, 1973
Name of Deceased — Kent Brown
Age — 21
Place of Birth — New Hampshire
Name of Father — Donald Brown
Maiden Name of Mother — Hazel Colburn
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — April 13, 1973
Name of Deceased — Maria Maki
Age — 77
Place of Birth — Finland
Name of Father — Unknown
Maiden of Mother — Unknown
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — April 30, 1973
Name of Deceased — Georgia Mae Tuttle
Age — 75
Place of Birth — Canada
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — May 17, 1973
Name of Deceased — Mable E. Marshall
Age — 80
Place of Birth — New York
Name of Father — George Ellison
Maiden Name of Mother — Harriet Judd
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — June 30, 1973
Name of Deceased — Albert Henry Phillis
Age — 59
Place of Birth — New Hampshire
Name of Father — Alvin Phillis
Maiden Name of Mother — Alice Saunders
Place of Burial — (Old Miller Cemetery) East Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — October 25, 1973
Name of Deceased — Ethel Young
Age — 78
Place of Birth — New Hampshire
Name of Father — Charles Boutwell
Maiden Name of Mother — Elizabeth Ryan
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death — October 25, 1973
Name of Deceased — David Asbury Petty
Age — 31
Place of Birth — Maryland
Name of Father — Col. Travis L. Petty
Maiden Name of Mother — Elizabeth Eldredge
Place of Burial — Woodlawn, Everett, Mass.

Date of Death — November 30, 1973
Name of Deceased — Royal B. Edwards
Age — 74
Place of Birth — New Hampshire
Name of Father — John W. Edwards
Maiden Name of Mother — Cassie Bennet
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery

Date of Death — December 12, 1973
Name of Deceased — Margaret Sheldrick
Age — 85
Place of Birth — New Hampshire
Name of Father — Henry Sheldrick
Maiden Name of Mother — Eunice Hodkin
Place of Burial — Miller Cemetery, Temple, N.H.

Date of Death - January 10, 1917 - 50 years old
 Name of Deceased - Albert (Alfred) ...
 Age - 50
 Place of Birth - New Hampshire
 Name of Father - ...
 Name of Mother - ...
 Place of Birth - ...
 Name of Deceased - ...
 Date of Death - ...
 Name of Deceased - ...
 Age - ...
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